

A WEEK AT A TIME

by J. M. RANKIN

WORTHY DIPLOMACY

The paramount duty of United States Naval vessels is the protection of American Citizens and they will go wherever it is necessary at any time to carry out that mission." Such was the worthy pronouncement of Admiral Harry E. Yarnell, when Japanese warned him to evacuate American Naval Units from Swatow harbor. It is reported that American diplomats are a bit uneasy at the Admiral's diplomacy, but we don't think any Americans are ashamed of it. We are sorry such a man as Admiral Yarnell must retire because of the standard age limit in the next few months, for we don't think he is too old to attend to important business of the United States.

BEER-BARREL VERSUS BLACKBIRD

Of all the lines about the Louis-Galento take-in, we like best that of our neighbor and contemporary, Collier Parrish of the Avalanche-Journal, "passionate indifference." And if anybody is much interested—which we couldn't understand—or still in the dark about the outcome—which also we would be unable to understand, we will say that from all we have heard and read the nigger eliminated the beer-barrel in the fourth round and the promoters took up a collection of about \$350,000.

A LINE FOR HUSBANDS

We have always maintained that husbands, unimportant and inefficient though they may be, still have their good points. A local husband adds to the conviction this week: He had listened with sympathetic "tsch, tsch's" as his wife recounted the various sins of other husbands. When she had finished, he sighed philosophically and murmured, "Well, I may have my faults, but— and here inspiration came, "but I doubt it."

AROUND TOWN

North Ninth already graded in and curbs laid for paving, and curb going along the second side of South. C. M. Lane galloping around as if he thought application had something to do with success—which we think it does. Dr. Geo. Shanks looking satisfied after having taken out one of our favorite wisdom teeth—no wonder they don't talk of pulling a tooth any more when a fellow takes small editions of a bowie knife, a croquet mallet, a buzz saw and a pinch bar to remove the offending molar. Mrs. Horace Sanders looking quite calm over the new granddaughter, but auntie Myrtle elated, since she had already laid in a stock of presents for a little girl. Seeing C. M. Porter for the first time in weeks—wonder if he works here. But they say all the lumber men go after a hailstorm. Magnus Klattenhöf in town cheerful enough after the good rain he had—last week he reported in the house with the blinds drawn so he couldn't see the drought. 'Sunny the lumbermen all tell us the thing to do is put on a full new roof, though none of them have done it—'twas ever thus—the shoemaker's wife must go barefoot. George Blackwell just back from Holland, Mich., pleased about a sale of Spring Air mattresses for the new Hilton at Albuquerque. And all about us everywhere talk of fishing. If this sounds like a irrational production of a mind, evidenced by frequent doses of aspirin, novocaine, and oil of cloves, that's just what it is.

ROTARY NEWS

Hayes Holman and Glen Leonard of Post and O. W. Ribble of Lubbock were visitors at Slaton Rotary Club last week. Raymond Lee Johns offered in a discussion of Peace, the opinion of a score of America's columnists.

Promotion Announced



J. A. GILLIES

The appointment of H. E. Lautz as general manager of the Santa Fe System's Eastern Lines, with headquarters at Topeka, and that of John A. Gillies as general manager of the Santa Fe Western Lines to succeed Lautz at Amarillo was announced today by W. K. Elter, vice president in charge of operations. Lautz succeeds Frank A. Lehman, who is retiring of his own violation after more than 50 years of loyal and faithful service. The announcements are effective July 1.

Flag Courtesies In Standard Code

In June 1923 representatives of more than 68 organizations met in Washington under the auspices of the National Americanism Committee of the American Legion to draft a code of flag etiquette. The code drafted by that group has no official government sanction, but does represent the authoritative opinion of the principal patriotic bodies of the United States and of Army and Navy experts.

The chief item of the code is the first one and the one that is most often invoked and deals with the display of the flag in the open air. It reads in part: "The flag should be displayed only from sunrise to sunset, or between such hours as may be designated by proper authority. It should be hoisted briskly but lowered slowly and ceremoniously. The flag should be displayed on all National and State holidays and on historic and special occasions.

Fifteen other sections of the code deal with the display of the flag in parades, in buildings and under all conditions where it is appropriate to display the Colors. Only one federal law deals with the respect due the flag, but the patriotism of Americans is sufficient to guard it from deliberate disrespect.

Good Will Tour Draws Big Crowds

The chamber of commerce headed a goodwill tour advertising Slaton's July 4th celebration Tuesday and Wednesday of this week and reported good crowds at each stop along the way. Tuesday's itinerary included such high spots as Southland, Post, Grassland, Tahoka, O'Donnell and Wilson. In the latter two towns french harp contests were promoted by the boosters and prizes were given the winners. Wednesday's trip took the motorcade to Lorenzo, Idalou, Ralls, Petersburg, Hale Center, Abernathy and Lubbock.

Mother Of Mrs. Hickman Buried

Mrs. Carrie Lee Griggs died at Baird Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock after several years of ill health. Funeral services and burial were held there Wednesday afternoon, June 28th at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Griggs is the mother of Mrs. R. D. Hickman and other survivors include Robert Green, a grandson, who lives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hickman were accompanied to Baird by Miss Beatrice Green and Mr. Robert Green, niece and nephew of the latter. Miss Green was visiting her aunt

Celebrate the Fourth IN SLATON



ENTERTAINMENT GALORE!

There'll be novel entertainment for all ages. Weeks of preparation have at last culminated and Slaton promises you the biggest celebration in years. Fun for all—don't miss it!

GENERAL PROGRAM FOR JULY 4TH — SLATON

1. PARADE — 10:00 A. M.—Visit with your friends.
2. Sports events on the City Lawn — 1:30 to midafternoon—visit with your friends.
3. Matinee by Harley Sadler's show.—Visit with your friends.
4. BIG EVENING SHOW AT FOOTBALL FIELD, time to be announced:
 - a. Crowning of Queen
 - b. Bicycle Races
 - c. Sack Races
 - d. Musical and novelty program
 - e. Fireworks display—Visit with your friends
5. Harley Sadler's Evening Show in the big tent.

You are invited to make a holiday, to come and visit with your neighbors of Slaton and the surrounding Communities, to reflect on the occasion a hundred and sixty years ago that launched a new experiment in Nationality and in Government, to enjoy in some measure the liberties that belong to all Americans and to so few of other Nations.

Your Chamber of Commerce appreciates the efforts of all concerned in the arrangements of this program and urges that the crowd in Slaton, July 4th, respect and patronize the local Merchants by showing full attendance at all scheduled events of the day.

QUEEN AND DUCHESSSES

Miss Hannah Is C. of C. Choice



Miss Margaret Hannah

Miss Margaret Hannah, is queen of the Chamber of Commerce float and candidate for Queen of the Fourth of July Carnival. She will ride the civic body's float in the Parade Tuesday morning with her duchesses, Misses Lea Beth Drewry and Naydiene Smith. Miss Hannah is low-voiced, blue-eyed and definitely brunette. She is a member of the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club, of which she is a past president and at present recording secretary.

Juanita Coston Is Treble Clef Entry



Blonde, grey-eyed Juanita Coston is the Treble Clef Club's candidate for Fourth of July Queen at Slaton's big celebration for which feverish preparations are being made.

Miss Coston is fifteen years of age, five feet one inch in height. She is a junior at Cooper High school and lives with her parents on their farm eight miles west of Slaton. She is a talented musician, playing both violin and guitar in the Club. She has completed the homemaking courses offered by the Cooper school and will take up the courses in business administration when school opens this fall. She doesn't plan to be either a home economics teacher or a secretary; her ambition is to be a pharmacist, in which field she will seek training when her high school work is finished. The plan of the float on which she will ride in the parade is not yet disclosed.

See the Slatonite for your job work
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Miss Lea Beth Drewry



Miss Naydiene Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Culpepper and two daughters of Dallas spent last week with Mrs. Culpepper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Grant.



MRS. C. L. TANNER, vice president of the Slaton Art Club, was elevated to the position of president at the meeting of that group Tuesday evening. Mrs. Tanner is also active in the Band Mother's Club and many other civic projects.

Rains Relieve Crop Crisis

Local Crops Show Best On S. Plains

General, but light to heavy showers on the South Plains this week relieved a crop crisis that was daily becoming more acute. Early cotton was doing well, making a spreading stalk that promised to load heavily with fruit if later rains should come to give support for it. Later cotton, that planted after the rain of thirty days ago, had about gone its limit though much moisture was still in the middles and the subsoil; the young plants simply had not been able to send feeder roots after it and it was beginning to die.

Feed on the contrary was showing well in the younger fields, but the few fields of early feed were parching critically. The rains will revive all crops enormously and give a much more optimistic feeling all over the South Plains.

Rainfall in Slaton was gauged at .75 of an inch, varying in every direction, but in rare instances was it lighter. Near Posey the fall was an inch or more, and beyond Posey it was again heavier. Westward the fall was again varied and out at O'Donnell a cloudburst did heavy damage as it brought moils ure to a severely stricken area. Iamesa and territory, much of which has no crop planted is reported as having received adequate rain for planting. In the Acuff Community the fall was light as it has been all year and in some places it is doubtful if crops can be got up. At Lorenzo and Ralls, where crops are very spotted the fall was two to three inches.

In the territory immediately surrounding Slaton are the most uniformly promising crops on the South Plains. North, on the Lubbock road are some of the best crops on the Plains. And south, on the Post road the same holds true. East, and across the canyon the crops are three to four weeks ahead of what they were last year this time and season has at all times been adequate. Westward for a few miles the conditions are similarly promising and the rains of the week only served to encourage the general feeling of optimism that prevails on this edge of the South Plains.

H. W. Wrye Brings Lecture On Jordan

H. R. Wrye, minister of the Church of Christ from Curley, Ala., will speak at the local Church of Christ Friday, June 30, with an illustrated lecture on the River Jordan.

The Jordan is the most famous and historical river on earth and Elder Wrye comes recommended by leaders in the denomination as eminently qualified to bring a discussion and pictures of this river in an interesting and instructive way that will be pleasing to all and instructive to those who are interested in the Holy Land. The hour is 8:15 Friday night at the Church of Christ.

Gala 4th Planned For Slaton

With plans nearing completion for entertaining 15,000 persons here Tuesday, Slaton is visualizing the most gala July 4th celebration in the history of the city. "The fireworks are ready," is the watchword sentence heard on every corner as those in charge gallop about the streets tying together various cards in the gigantic program, beginning at 10 o'clock sharp with what promises to be the most colorful parade in years.

Officials of the parade committee announce that float entries are pouring in at a rapid pace as the occasion nears, with civic organizations, business houses and communities surrounding Slaton signifying deep interest in the day with early entries. Mrs. C. L. Tanner, chairman of the parade committee, stresses that a \$35 prize will be awarded for the best float in any division, the winner of which can qualify for no other float prize; \$20 will be given for the best community float; \$20 for the best organization float; \$20 for the best merchant or industrial float; and \$10 for the best comedy float.

Out-of-town, distinguished judges will be secured to judge the parade of floats on the basis of (1) staying with the theme of the celebration, which this year is "Peace," costumes, ideas and amusements, 60 per cent; (2) artistic appearance and general effectiveness as a whole, 30 per cent; and (3) stating theme of the float by placard, herald or otherwise, 10 per cent. Requirements state that the subject of the float should be displayed, along with a line stating whether the entry is being sponsored by a community, organization, business or industry.

A queen of the celebration will be selected this year, and many organizations have already selected their candidates and given them due publicity, from candidates entered by the sponsors of parade floats. Each community, organization, and business or industrial concern placing a float in the parade is invited to select a young lady in any manner chosen, to ride in costume on that entrant's float as a candidate for queen of the July 4th occasion. Each candidate will be expected to wear in the morning parade the costume she (see GALA FOURTH page 4)

Parade And Fireworks for 4th

The parade initiating the day's activity Tuesday, July 4, will assemble beginning at 9 o'clock near the Santa Fe depot on Texas avenue, and will begin promptly at 10 a.m. All floats and other features, including bands and boy scout troops will be expected to be on hand early to form their places in the line. Several salutes will be fired to announce the opening of the parade.

One of the main features of the evening program this year will be a giant, colorful fireworks display following the regular program at the football stadium in the evening. Early plans did not include fireworks, but popular demand became so great that officials of the show ordered a special program this year.



Just Arrived

To Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Sanders, a daughter, Sunday, June 25th at Mercy Hospital and named Katharine Ann.

To Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Harston, June 22nd, a son, at Mercy Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Pete Carpenter, a son, June 24th.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Schulz near Posey, a son, June 25th.

BIG TOP Jeff Bangs promises Myra that no harm will come to Alta, the elephant her father trained.



By ED WHEELAN

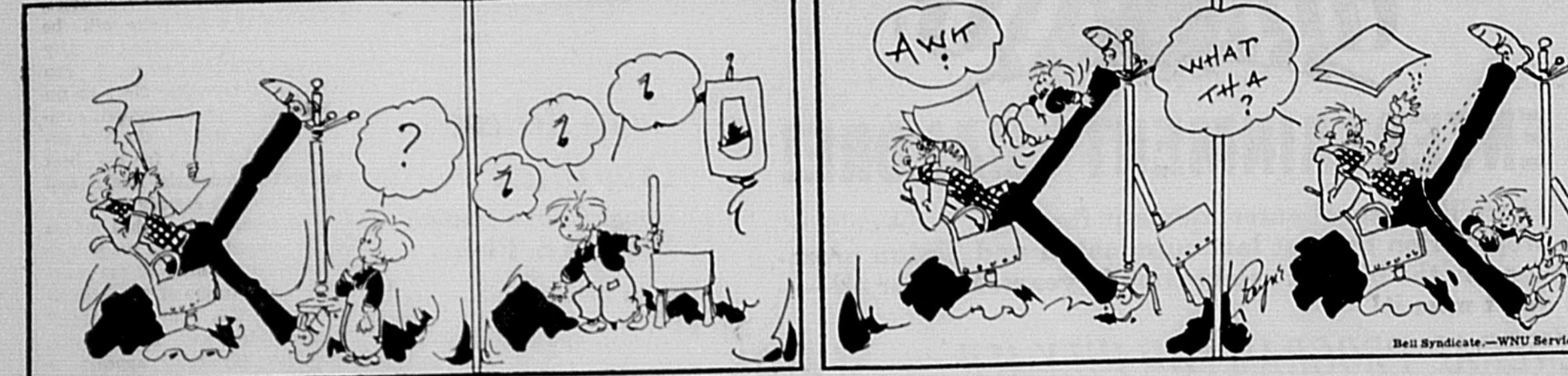
LALA PALOOZA — Gonzales Travels Light but Expects a Heavy Return

By RUBE GOLDBERG



S'MATTER POP—Casual Sled Run With One Turn

By C. M. PAYNE



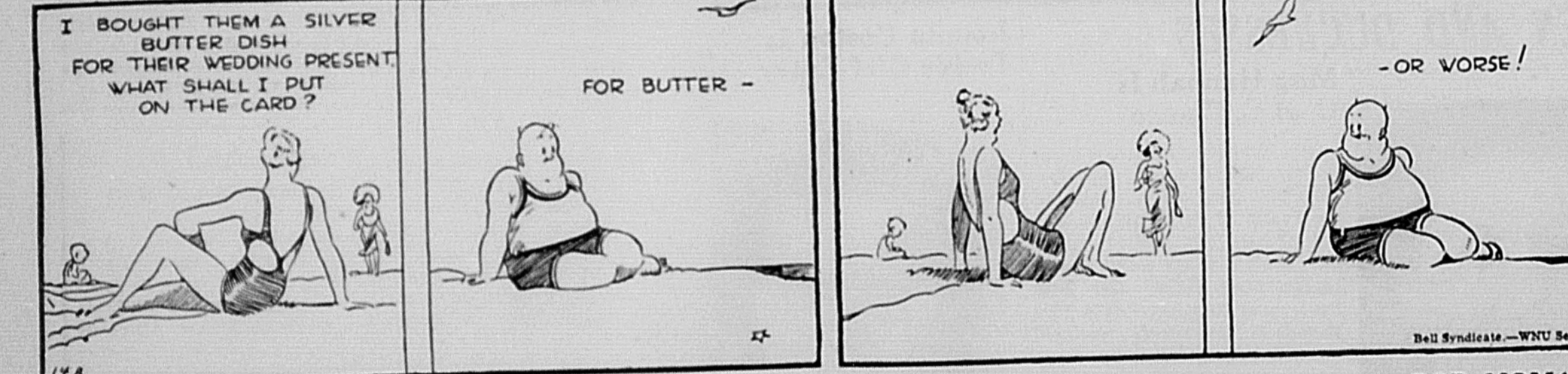
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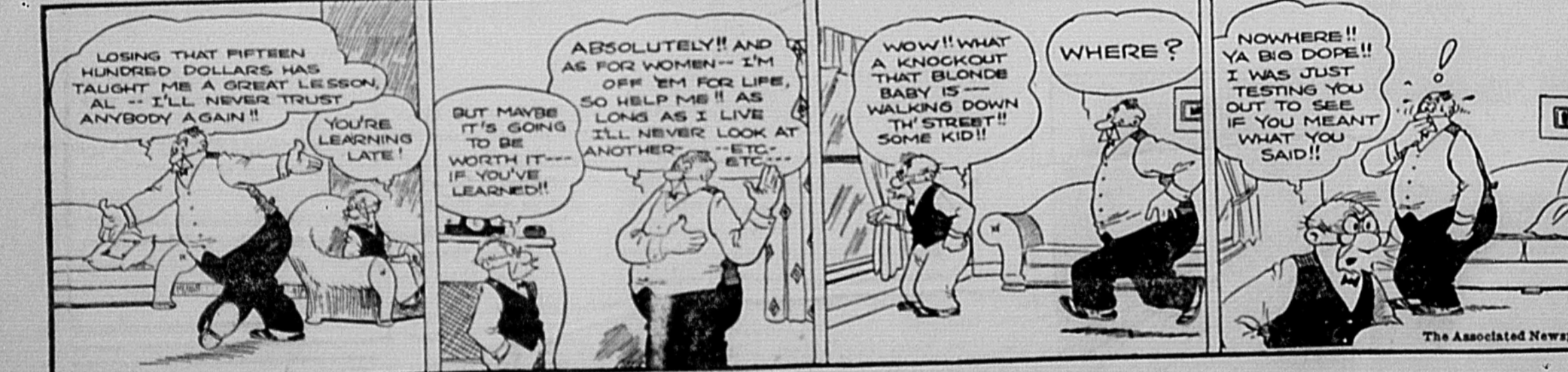
POP— The Answer

By J. MILLAR WATT



'KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES' — Not Cured Yet

By POP MOMAND



Jerry on the Job!

Anti-Noise Campaign Flops!

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for July 2

SOLOMON: A RULER WHO BEGAN WELL

LESSON TEXT—I Kings 3:5-15. **GOLDEN TEXT**—Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart, that I may discern between good and bad.—I Kings 3:9.

Success or failure in life is determined by the measure of a man's devotion to God and obedience to the will of God. We speak now of real success, not according to the ideas of the world. We are concerned with what a man is and what he does for God, not with what he may happen to possess.

An excellent outline taken from *Points for Emphasis*, by Dr. Hight C. Moore, most effectively presents the lesson.

I. Wisdom Offered (v. 5). Solomon had properly opened his reign by going to Gibeon to offer a thousand burnt offerings because he "loved the Lord" (v. 3). Having returned from his day of worship, he had fallen into a deep sleep when God spoke to him saying, "Ask what I shall give thee." It was an unusual offer, a kind of blank check that God gives only to those whom He can trust to fill it out right, as MacLaren suggests.

Sometimes we wish God would give us such an opportunity. "That is just what He has done. He has appeared to you not in dreams, but in broad daylight and by His Son Jesus Christ has said as plainly as He could, Ask and it shall be given you." He has repeated it three times, saying, ask, seek, find, and then He has returned to say, "Everyone that asketh receiveth, and he that seeketh findeth, and to him that knocketh it shall be opened." We have no right "to say that Solomon was more favored than we. We are more favored than he. If we have not, it is because we ask not. If we lose peace and joy, happiness and heaven, it is all for want of asking" (Joseph Hammond).

II. Wisdom Chosen (vv. 6-9).

The noble and intelligent choice of Solomon has been much admired and rightly so, for he chose the greatest gift that could come to any man, "an understanding heart." He might have asked for money or power, but with the lack of wisdom to use them properly they would have been a curse to him and to others. Long life is but a continued blight to a foolish man because it only extends the time of his folly. All things in the way of possessions must be outside of a man, therefore they may be lost or misused. But what he is and what he has in his heart, these are what make a man worth while. Solomon showed the beginning of wisdom when he chose, above all things, an understanding heart.

III. Wisdom Granted (vv. 10-14).

There can be no higher word of commendation than to say that a man's choice "pleased the Lord" (v. 10). To have that attitude of mind and heart which expresses itself in words and actions so exactly in conformity to the will of God that the Almighty Himself is pleased, is to be ready for God's unlimited blessing. Solomon asked for wisdom, and because he received that gift from God, he was ready to receive riches, honor, and power. We may by God's grace go the same way and take from His blessed hand numberless gifts.

Note the qualifying word "if" in verse 14. Solomon failed God in his later years as king. The tragic results are written for all to read. That way none of us should ever go. The lesson is plain—faith takes blessing from God; unbelief brings failure and sorrow. Let everyone that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall.

IV. Wisdom Exercised (v. 15).

When Solomon awoke from his dream he showed his faith in God's promise and in fact demonstrated the wisdom which was now his possession, by returning to his capital city, Jerusalem, to stand before the ark of the covenant in reverent worship, then to lead his people in a public service of confession and consecration, which was followed by a great religious feast which drew the king and "all his servants," the people of Israel, into a blessed unity before the Lord.

One could wish and pray that all the rulers of the earth whether in democracies or under dictatorships might have the wisdom and humility of Solomon. The world is in utter confusion and really confesses that it does not know the way out of its difficulty. It has not yet turned to God. If rulers and people would fall upon their faces before Him in contrition and supplication, it would not be long before we would see both spiritual and material peace and prosperity.

Make It Positive

Scripture seems to make it positive that every soul has everlastingness, but Scripture also seems to make it positive that for Jesus' kind of everlastingness every soul has got to qualify.

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Summery Ensemble



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Pull the Trigger on Lazy Bowels, and Also Pepsin-ize Stomach!

When constipation brings on acid indigestion, bloating, dizzy spells, gas, coated tongue, sour taste, and bad breath, your stomach is probably loaded up with certain undigested food and your bowels don't move. So you need both Pepsin to help break up fast that rich undigested food in the trigger on those lazy bowels. So be sure your laxative also contains Pepsin. Take Dr. Caldwell's Laxative, because its Syrup Pepsin helps you gain that wonderful stomach relief, while the Laxative Senna moves your bowels. Tests prove the power of Pepsin to dissolve those lumps of undigested protein food which may linger in your stomach, to cause belching, gastric acidity and nausea. This is how Pepsin-izing your stomach helps relieve it of such distress. At the same time this medicine wakes up lazy nerves and muscles in your bowels to relieve your constipation. So see how much better you feel by taking the laxative that also puts Pepsin to work on that stomach discomfort, too. Even finicky children love to taste this pleasant family laxative. Buy Dr. Caldwell's Laxative—Senna with Syrup Pepsin at your druggist today!

Law of Failure
Whoever yields to temptation subjects himself to the law of falling bodies.—Horace Mann.



Time of Great Price
Time is the most valuable thing a man can spend.—Theophrastus.



Weak in Prejudice
To be prejudiced is always to be weak.—Samuel Johnson.

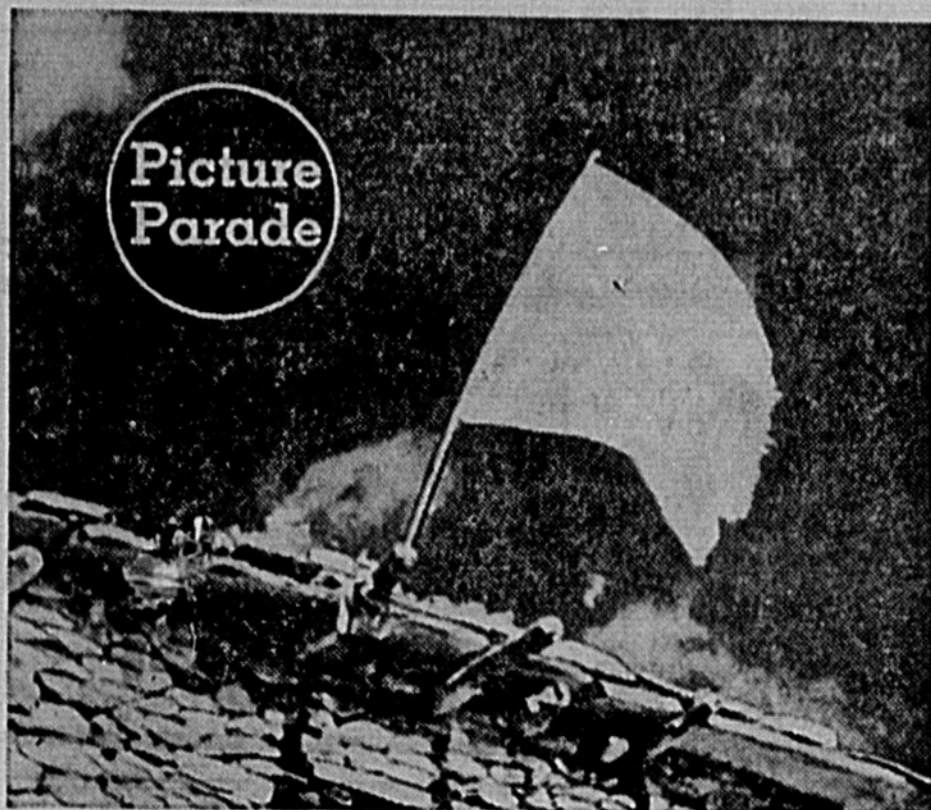


Unnatural Evil
Nothing leads to good which is not natural.—Schiller.

81,209 MALARIA
Cases reported in the U.S. in 1938!
DON'T DELAY!
START TODAY
666 Checks Malaria in seven days



July Is Month of Violence



Picture Parade

SINCE the dawn of modern history men have sought vengeance and nature has been violent in July. Hot, sultry, July has tried men's souls and found them wanting. Above: White flag of truce floats over a hut in the "Holy City" of Adowa during the Ethiopian war which Mussolini began in July of 1935. Right: One month after Austrian Archduke Ferdinand was assassinated at Sarajevo, Germany was in the midst of its attack against Belgium and France. The exact date was July 28, 1914, which was 125 years to the month after the "Bastille Day" coup that started the notorious French revolution.



Left: On July 17, 1936, Spain's Generalissimo Francisco Franco came out of exile to begin the civil war which tore that country asunder for more than two years. Photo shows the general dispatching a message to one of his divisions near Barcelona.



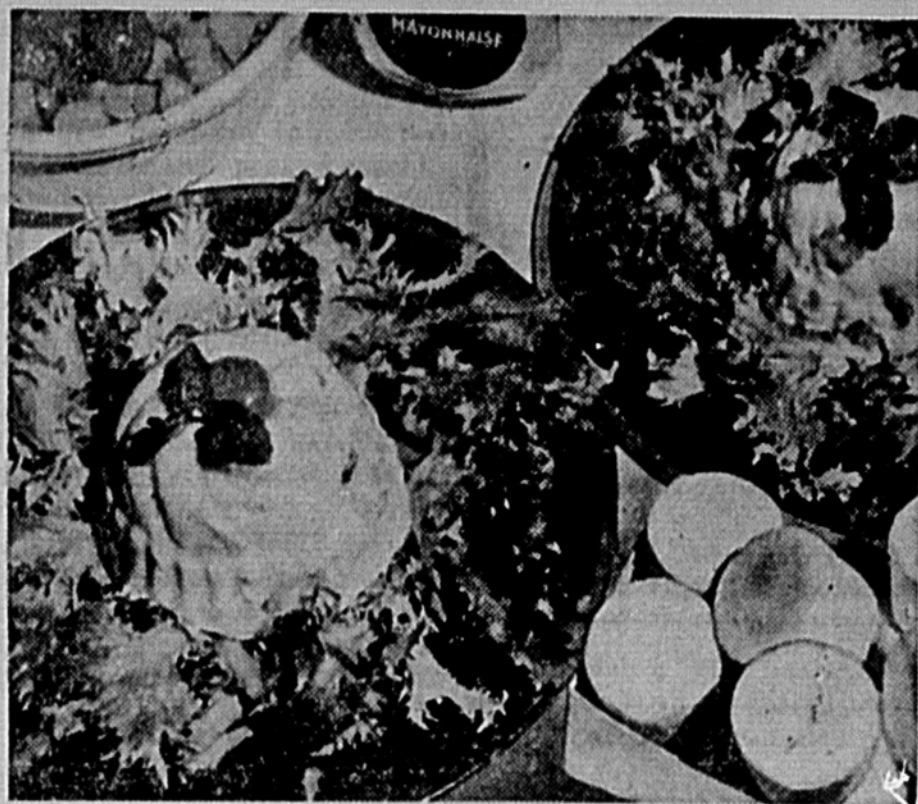
One year later, on July 7, 1937, occurred the notorious Marco Polo bridge incident marking the official beginning of Japan's war against China, now two years old and still undeclared. Photo shows rescue workers removing victims after one of the horrible bombings to which civilians have been subjected. Left: The funeral of Austria's martyred chancellor, Engelbert Dollfuss, who was assassinated on July 25, 1934, in an unsuccessful Nazi coup to gain control of the country. Austria immediately began the metamorphosis which led to "anschluss" last year.



July is a month of violence on the highways and elsewhere. In July 1934-36, the daily average death toll in the U. S. was 381, compared with 284 for the two years as a whole. Drownings alone average 52 daily in July. In the first 30 years of this century, July Fourth fireworks killed 4,290, compared with 4,044 killed in the Revolutionary war. Likewise the 30-year record showed far more non-fatal injuries.



Nature's violence: July is No. 1 typhoon month.



CRAB SALAD
See Recipe Below.



Household News

by Eleanor Howe

Salads for Summer Meals

When the mercury soars skyward and appetites are on the wane, nothing tastes quite so good as a crisp, cool mixture of fresh greens, or fruits, or vegetables with a tart, taste-teasing dressing.

Salads are summer favorites. There's hardly a dish that's so simple yet so satisfying to make, and there's such a pleasant way of making sure that we get the minerals and vitamins we need!

Suggestions on Salads.

Salad ingredients must be clean and cold and crisp. Contrast is important, too—contrast in textures, in flavors, and in colors. Combine crisp foods with soft; sharp, pungent-tasting foods with mild-flavored ones; and pale, uninteresting looking foods with foods that are vividly colored. Make your summer salads as light or as substantial as you please. Find a few good basic recipes, and vary them to suit yourself. Here are some of my favorites—practical, everyday recipes that are easy to prepare and serve, yet delicious enough for almost any social occasion.

Summer Tossed Salad.
Dip edges of lettuce leaves in paprika and arrange in salad bowl. Add green pepper rings, cucumber slices, radish roses and tomatoes, cut lengthwise in eighths. Toss together with french dressing made as follows: grate 1/2 clove garlic on two tablespoons granulated sugar. Add one tablespoon salt, one tablespoon paprika, one cup salad oil and 1/2 cup lemon juice. Shake vigorously, chill, and shake again, before mixing with salad.

Festive Potato Salad. (Serves 5)
3 eggs (hard cooked)
4 cups cooked potatoes (cut fine)
1/2 cup green pepper (cut fine)
1 bunch green onions (cut fine)
1/2 cup celery (cut fine)
1/4 cup sweet pickles (cut fine)
1 cup mayonnaise-type salad dressing
Salt to taste
Cut hard cooked eggs in slices. Combine ingredients in order given, reserving a few of the egg slices for garnishing. Chill. Serve in large bowl lined with lettuce. Garnish with radish roses and hard cooked egg.

Crab Salad. (Serves 5)
1 13-ounce tin crabmeat
3/4 cup celery (cut fine)
1/4 cup sweet pickles (cut fine)
2 hard cooked eggs—riced egg yolk
1/4 cup mayonnaise dressing
1 head lettuce
1 tablespoon capers
Flake crabmeat and remove membrane. Add celery, sweet pickle and egg white (finely cut). Mix with mayonnaise dressing. Arrange on bed of crisp lettuce leaves and garnish with egg yolk (riced) and capers.

Frozen Tomato Salad.
1 tablespoon unflavored gelatin
1/4 cup cold water
1 No. 2 can tomatoes
1 cup celery and celery leaves (chopped)
2 tablespoons diced onion
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon sugar
6 whole cloves
6 peppercorns
Sprig thyme
1 bay leaf
1 cup whipping cream (whipped)
1/4 teaspoon paprika
Soak gelatin in cold water. Heat tomatoes, celery, onion and all sea-

sonings in a saucepan and simmer gently for about 10 minutes. Strain and add at once to the softened gelatin. Mix thoroughly and chill. When mixture begins to thicken, fold in the whipped cream. Pour into freezing tray and place in freezing compartment until thick. When frozen, unmold and serve on lettuce with mayonnaise dressing.

Marshmallow Mint Salad. (Serves 6)
1 package (1/4 pound) marshmallows
1 tablespoon fruit juice
Peppermint extract
Green vegetable coloring
1/2 cup mayonnaise
3/4 cup mixed fruits (cut in small pieces)
1 cup whipping cream (whipped)
Place marshmallows and fruit juice in saucepan and heat over low heat. Fold over and over until marshmallows are about half melted. Remove from heat and continue folding until mixture is smooth and fluffy. Cool. Then add peppermint extract and green food coloring (these can be omitted, if desired). Blend in mayonnaise and fruits and fold in whipped cream. Turn into individual molds and chill in refrigerator until firm. Unmold on lacy endive ring and garnish with a sprig of mint and halved maraschino cherry.

Cinderella Salad. (Serves 6)
2 cups cooked lamb (cut in small cubes)
1/2 cup french dressing
2 tablespoons fresh mint (chopped)
1/2 cup cooked peas
1/2 cup cooked carrots
2 cups shredded cabbage
Salt and pepper to taste
Place lamb in salad bowl, add french dressing and chopped mint. Chill in refrigerator for one hour. Then add remaining ingredients and toss together lightly, adding additional french dressing, if desired. Garnish with strips of green pepper and wedges of tomatoes.

Get This New Cook Book.
Who said that Father doesn't like salads? Of course he does! To be sure it's a sheer waste of energy to make a fancy creation in the hope of pleasing him, but there are plenty of plain, substantial salads that he likes. In her new cook book, "Feeding Father," Eleanor Howe tells just how to please him with salads and other of his favorite foods. Send 10 cents in coin to Eleanor Howe, 919 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and get your copy.
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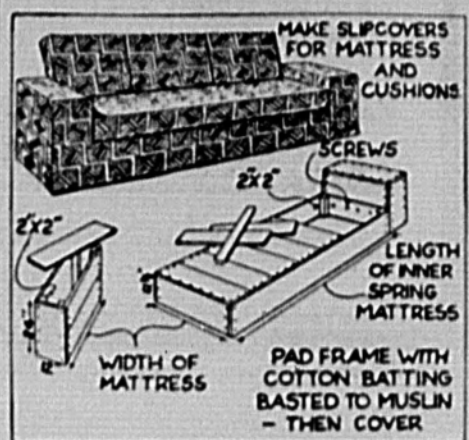
French Provincial Style Of Furniture Is Revived
French provincial furniture, now that it is being revived, is sure to be with us for a long time for it is beautiful in itself, it is moderately priced, and it can be combined so well with early American styles. Many women, who like a little variety in their rooms, will delight to find that the simple, graceful chairs of beachwood and of cherry in this French vein mix perfectly with maple tables and chairs.

There are charming upholstered armchairs, too, from which to choose, and many handsome little occasional tables, some of the tiered variety, others with sunken receptacles for plants, and still others for bedside use and for service for afternoon tea or after dinner coffee.

Whether you are doing an entire room or are merely investing in a piece or two you'll have no difficulty in finding charming furniture in French provincial style.

HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears



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THERE comes a letter from a reader who says: "Thanks for the article telling how to make a chair of lumber and cover it. I wish there were more things that husbands and wives could do together. I have made all the curtains for our house and some slipcovers, but this chair that we both worked on was much more interesting."

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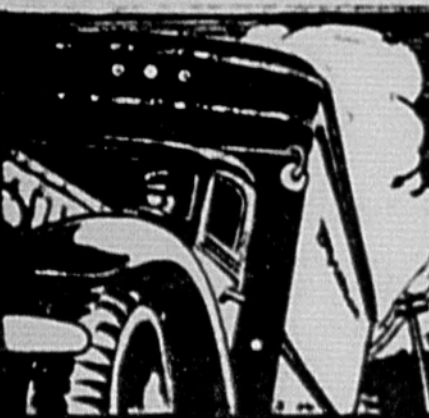
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A registration booth will be kept in the band stand on the city hall and everyone who wants to do so may register. A \$5 prize will be given the family registering from the greatest distance from Slaton. Last year a family from California took the prize.

Beginning the afternoon sports events and contests will fill the program on the city hall lawn in the shade, where plenty of concessions will furnish refreshments, until mid-afternoon, when Harley Sadler shows will give a matinee performance. Such contests will fill the bill as boys' buttermilk drinking contest, woman's nail-driving contest, lizard race, french harp playing contest, and many others, with cash prizes given in every event. Coaches Curtis Hamilton and Jack Miller will have charge of these sports.

Following the matinee by Sadler a gigantic program will get underway at the football stadium, including four bicycle races with cash prizes being offered in each of four divisions, one for married women, one for married men, another for girls and one for boys. Sack races will be held on the bermuda field in front of the stands. A ten-minute talk on peace will be given by Rev.

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J. Paul Stevens, pastor of the Presbyterian church, and a general musical and novelty program will follow, with several professional numbers on the list. Queen of the celebration will be crowned during the program, and the finale will center around the most colorful fireworks display ever presented in Slaton. An evening performance by Sadler will follow and close the day's program.

Incision and the maintenance of free drainage is necessary as is the administration of tetanus antitoxin.

The approach of July Fourth with fireworks is an occasion for caution in that powder burns are collections of many small puncture wounds. These demand the attention of a physician and the administration of tetanus antitoxin. City Health Department.

Health Talks To Home Folks

You were recently advised not to abuse wounds, but to wash the skin area about them with clean, cold water, bind clean muslin compresses over them and take them to your family physician for inspection and further treatment if it is needed.

This is for the reason that some wounds will require that the patient be immunized against two particular types of infection. These are gas gangrene and tetanus. For these there are separate sera, also a combination of the two. Your Doctor will judge whether you need either or both and will give it if it is indicated.

Puncture wounds are notorious for the development of tetanus since these germs grow in the absence of air and the puncture wound seals over excluding the air offering an ideal place for them to grow and produce their poison. The nail is the most common agent producing the puncture wound. It is dangerous whether rusty or shiny.

Post Storm Story Alarms Texans

The Denver Post is that kind of a newspaper. It can, with a simple twist of the wrist, make bayonet wound of a needle scratch and a tornado of a whirlwind. But J. S. Edwards, jr., on a vacation fishing trip to the Northwest with Howard Hoffman and Sug Robertson, didn't know that about the Post. So when they read in a last week's issue

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of the Mile-high news vender that a tornado had practically rubbed out Lubbock County the party was alarmed, and young Edwards called home by long distance from Salt Lake City. Being reassured that the shambles portrayed by the valued newspaper had been practically cleared up, the party proceeded on their fishing trip.

SUB-DERS ENJOY LAWN PARTY WITH MISS CROWTHER

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sence of the president, June Scott. Refreshments of ice cream and macaroons were served.

One guest, Mary Edna Johnson of Sweetwater who is visiting her cousin, Phyllis McReynolds, was present.

The next meeting is to be a covered dish luncheon July 4 in the home of Emily Darwin.

Louise Andrews of Quanah returned Saturday to her home after visiting her brother, J. D. Anderson, here.

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Detailed Program on Front Page of This Issue

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and 9th St. Monday evening between the hours of 7 and 10 despite the inclement weather. Many out of town friends were in attendance and enjoyed the refreshments and music of the 8-piece orchestra directed by Dickie Ragsdale.

Numerous baskets and vases of lovely flowers were sent by friends. There are four booths that can be converted into a huge banquet table which line the wall and are in Perry blue and chromium finish, as are the four tables and chairs for diners. A counter in the same color has 18 stools in the same beautiful finish.

Mary Drake, N. W. Montague Wed Ceremony Read At Home Of Bride

Miss Mary Louise Drake of Commerce, daughter of Mrs. Geo. Drake, of that city and Nicholas W. Montague of Lubbock, son of Mrs. Amelia Montague of Slaton, were married at 2 o'clock in the afternoon Sunday June 25th at the home of the bride's mother.

Bill George Drake gave his sister in marriage. She wore a surf blue suit with white accessories and a shoulder corsage of gardenias and lilies of the valley.

Miss Irene Renfro, Commerce, the bride's only attendant, wore a shell pink frock with orchid gladioli and rainbow asters.

Curtis Jackson, Ft. Worth, was best man.

Miss Irma Drake, pianist and Miss Jean Freeman, violinist, played the wedding music.

The bride is a former student at East Texas State Teachers College and the groom has attended Texas A. and M.; University of Texas and E.T.S.T.C.

Among the out of town guests were Mrs. Amelia Montague of Slaton and Miss Virginia Montague of Dallas, mother and sister, respectively, of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Montague will make their home in Lubbock.

New Business Opens August 1 W. T. Gillespy To Stock Auto Parts

Announcement was made this week of the forthcoming opening of a new business in Slaton. Mr. W. T. Gillespy for several years a resident of the city has bought the building on West Lubbock joining that of the Slaton Motor Sales Co. and will establish a new and complete sales service for auto parts and tractor parts.

He will get possession of the building, Mr. Gillespy announces, July first, and will immediately begin remodeling and renovating the building. A modern store front will be built in and fixtures will be installed to make the place one where adequate display will help to tell that a complete stock of merchandise can be found.

Mr. Gillespy says he has traveled four thousand miles in search of a place to set up a business such as he plans for the new location and that he believes Slaton the best prospect for the business he will open. About August 1st, he hopes to have his building ready and his stock arranged for opening.

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Boxing Trophy Won By Slaton Nieman, Robertson, Lamb Win Bouts

The champions of the champions were named here Saturday night when 10 top notch bouts climaxed Slaton's successful West Texas amateur boxing tournament.

Slaton copped the team trophy with eight points to five for Wichita Falls, the nearest competitor. Littlefield, Seymour and San Angelo finished in a dead heat for third place honors, with three each, Wilton and Abilene last with one each.

Valadez Wins

The eight titlists and how they got that way: Flyweight—Arlo Royce, San Angelo, decisioned R. C. Brackeen, Slaton; bantamweight—Noah Valadez, San Angelo, kayoed Ed Harris, Seymour, in first; featherweight—Horace Wood, Littlefield, registered second round knockout over Herschel Doughly, Littlefield; lightweight—Eddie Bussey, Wichita Falls, hung up technical kayo over Estell Smith, Littlefield, in third; welterweight—Alex Parrish, Wichita Falls, easily decisioned Troy Caldwell, Seymour; middleweight—Roy Nieman, Slaton decisioned Bergen Roe, Seymour in a fast bout; light-heavyweight—Don Robertson, Slaton, received the nod over Jesse Ramsey, Littlefield; heavyweight—Herbert Lamb measured Bill Maxwell, Littlefield, in quick order in the initial inning.

Stotts Loses

Although the crowd was smaller the fights were hailed as much better Saturday night than were those Friday. Several toe to toe tussles sparked a card that saw more champions fighting in this section than ever have appeared. In two preliminary bouts, Alex Parrish's experience dominated James Stotts' repertoire and the Slaton flash lost the decision to the Wichita Falls champ.

Nieman kayoed George Wilford, Midland, in a middleweight warm-up.

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NOTICE TO RHYTHM BAND
The East Ward Rhythm Band is requested to meet the morning of July 4th at 9:30 o'clock at the northeast corner of the square in full uniform.

D. E. Posey Funeral Held In Acuff

Daniel E. Posey died at the home of his nephew, C. C. Rangs, 14 miles north of Slaton Saturday June 24. He had made his home there for the past 5 months, coming from Mesquite, Texas.

The late Mr. Posey was born June 4th, 1859 and was a member of the Baptist church. Funeral services were held Saturday at the Acuff Baptist church at 5 o'clock with Rev. J. D. Welch officiating.

The body was sent Saturday night to Mesquite, Texas for burial Sunday, with Williams Funeral Home in Charge.

Pallbearers were J. W. Haralson, John Montgomery, V. Snodgrass, James Adams, Carol Nix, Millard Bowers and Jim Bryant.

Survivors other than the nephew include the sister, Mrs. C. C. Rangs, Sr. mother of the nephew, who also attended the funeral.

Wind Tosses Flies At Fly Casting

The Fly casting meet held at Buffalo Lakes last week was slowed down a little by the considerable and inconsiderate winds that harrassed the local Isaak Waltons. However, there were competitors for each division and they put on a show for fans and curious spectators who had wondered what could be done in the way of entertainment by a skilled and determined man with a long springy rod and some silk thread.

George Box of Lubbock, and Travis Irons, same, took first and second place respectively in the championship flight of the bait casting tournament. Hugh F. Bryan of Slaton and Harold Kendrick of Lubbock placed first and second in

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the second flight. In the fly casting contest Hugh F. Bryan shoved down into second place, V. O. Jennings of Lubbock after they had tings for first place.

MRS. T. K. MARTIN HOSTESS WITH BREAKFAST FOR G.A.s

Members of the Baptist G.A.'s, of which Mrs. T. K. Martin is sponsor, were guests in the Martin home Monday morning June 26 at

a breakfast. A program, "Children of Other Lands and Seeing Ourselves in the Looking Glass" was given by Mary Nell Culver, Ollie Ray Tucker, Bonnie Mercer and the hostess, beginning at 6:30. Breakfast was served to the nine members at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Bob Klinger of Pampa is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LaBINE

Predict New Pact With Brazil As U. S. Staves Off Nazi Bid For Entree to South America

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PAN-AMERICA: Hair's Breadth

Many years ago when the U. S. clamped down on immigration, millions of Germans, Italians and Japanese turned to unexploited Brazil. When Adolf Hitler came to power he began a diligent campaign to Nazify Brazil's Germans, just as Benito Mussolini tried Fascifying Brazil's Italians to the degree that Brazil's Japs were native loyal to Tokyo.

To Hitler, one of Brazil's major charms was its unexplored iron deposits which might some day be taken by military force. As a foundation German crews began manning German airships from German airports established in Brazil, an expensive commercial aviation venture which could never pay out except in war. But one of Hitler's mistakes was to barter armaments and machinery for Brazilian coffee, which he then dumped on the markets to obtain badly needed foreign exchange, thus un-



FLYING UP FROM RIO
It could become a menace.

dermining world prices and damaging Brazil's coffee trade.

Even this blunder was almost overcome, however. Early this year a Brazilian commercial mission was about to leave for Berlin when the U. S. convinced Foreign Minister Oswaldo Aranha he should visit Washington. Result: Brazil gained a loan from the U. S., also received aid in developing her resources and agreed in return to begin servicing her payments to American bondholders during the current summer.

After this hair's breadth escape came another. In May Gen. Pedro Aurelio Goes Monteiro, Brazilian chief of staff, was about to visit Berlin for general staff consultations leading either to a co-operative understanding or a military alliance. Hastily dispatched to Rio de Janeiro was Gen. George C. Marshall, newly appointed U. S. chief of staff. Result: Back home in mid-June came General Marshall with the bacon. On an American cruiser he brought General Monteiro to Washington, where observers expected a military agreement would soon be reached between the U. S. and Brazil.

The agreement's substance: The U. S. could use emergency air fields in northern Brazil, thus perfecting the American plan to make an American lake out of the Caribbean, with bases at Puerto Rico and Guantanamo, Cuba, serving as miniature Hawaiis.

Simultaneously, the Atlantic Clipper's inaugural trip to Lisbon with 30 passengers and 12 crew members gave every layman an idea of transatlantic aviation possibilities and their bearing on a U. S. pact with Brazil. Should a European power beat us to the draw, Brazil might easily become an operations base from whence bombers (after crossing the Atlantic at its narrowest point) might work against the Panama canal, Guantanamo, Puerto Rico and even the U. S. itself (see map).

BUSINESS:

Housing Doldrums

Most U. S. industrialists believe government policy is holding back recovery. But this belief is not universal, for a recent Gallup poll showed public opinion well split on the responsibility; business itself got plenty of blame. A few weeks later Steelman Ernest T. Weir admitted he thought the "principal responsibility" for his industry's nine-year losing streak rested on the shoulders of steel corporation management.

True or not, that charge gave Trust Buster Thurman Arnold good justification for probing deeper into depression's cause. Most economists agree that the U. S. boom, when it comes, will begin with renewed housing activities. Hence it is to this field that Mr. Arnold will look first with his new \$500,000 appropriation and enlarged legal personnel to "police" American business.

Basic idea of the justice department's drive is that a large, well-trained anti-trust staff should ferret

out illegal combinations of manufacturers, wholesalers, retailers, contractors and labor leaders. Once such illegal groups are smashed, Mr. Arnold thinks business paralysis caused by high costs will cease. His allegations regarding the business industry:

"Producers of building materials have fixed prices either by private arrangement or as the principal activity of trade associations. Owners of patents on building materials have used them to establish restrictive structures of price control, control of sales methods and limits upon the quantities sold."

Regarding labor unions: "In recent years they have frequently been used as the strong arm squads for collusive agreements among contractors, refusing to supply labor where the contractors' ring wishes labor withheld. . . . In other cases the unions themselves have refused to permit the use of new products or new processes because of their fear that the new method might make it possible to erect a new house with fewer hours of labor than the old."

One joker in the campaign for which Mr. Arnold is not responsible is that he seeks to tear down industrial price fixing combines which resulted directly from an earlier, less successful New Deal venture which fostered collusion by manufacturers and dealers, namely, NRA.

INTERNATIONAL: Russia's Gain?

One hundred years ago a squabble between Japan and Great Britain would have caused no repercussions in Europe. But today's challenge of occidental rights in the Far East is tied inseparably with Britain's efforts to perfect a military alliance with Russia. Although Germany has gloated over London's failure both with the Russian pact and in the Orient, best guesses are that not Germany, not England, not Japan, but Russia alone will have profited when today's international cauldron has ceased boiling.

Germany has tried in two ways to hamstring the British. While William Strang of the London foreign office is conferring with Dictator Josef Stalin, the Reich's ambassador to Russia has been ordered to work for a stalemate by offering Moscow a commercial and credit agreement. If Germany thus joined western democracies in begging for Russia's friendship, it carried the begging to still greater heights during the Jap incident by singing a siren song that went something like this: "Why should a great power like you care to tie



WILLIAM STRANG
Germany ridiculed his efforts.

up with people like the British, who can now be kicked with impunity even by the Japanese?"

The Reich's second effort, obvious in desperation, has been to push its projected military pact with Japan. Although Tokyo's ambassadors to Italy and Germany both favor Jap participation in the anti-Communist front, the foreign office back home has shunned such complications for good reason—Japan has enough ambitions and troubles in the Far East without getting embroiled in Europe's woes. Moreover, both Russia and Japan—bitter enemies—doubt the sincerity of a nation which tries simultaneously to win the friendship of both.

Hence observers predict consummation of the Anglo-Russ alliance, with Britain asking help in the Far East as well as in Europe, thanks to Japan's clamping down on London's interests in China. For Britain this would be merely a last-ditch defensive alliance with a nation most Englishmen dislike. Russia would thereby gain British support in her projected Far Eastern war with Japan, also winning a comparatively free hand to expand westward by exercising Hitler-like pressure on Baltic states like Finland, Latvia and Estonia. Out of this, Britain may hope, will come a German-Russian war in which Europe's dictators will slaughter each other.

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Amazing Decline in American Farm Crop Exports Is Reported

Falling Off Is Largely in Cotton Shipments; Blame Is Laid to Trick Remedies Fostered by Agriculture Department; New Program for More Spending.

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WASHINGTON.—The department of agriculture issued a report the other day that showed an amazing decline in exports of American farm crops. Specifically, the report said that export shipments of agricultural crops were 21 per cent less in the last 10 months than they were in the same 10 months ending in May, 1938. Or, if calculated in fractions, American farmers were able to sell abroad less than four-fifths as much this year as last year.

Further examination of the figures placed the falling off of exports largely in the sales of cotton. So bad have our sales of cotton become abroad that the authorities now are expecting total exports of cotton this fiscal year to be the lowest in the last 50 years of American history.

It is a sad state of affairs and does no credit to Secretary Wallace and his subordinates in the department of agriculture. They must take the blame because they have conceived and promoted and executed all of the nostrums and trick remedies that were to lead American agriculture to the more abundant life. So, what we have today is a low mark of which none can be proud, and that remarkable record has been attained after billions of dollars have been wasted in one way or another from the ploughing under of thousands of acres of crops and the killing of 6,000,000 pigs through all of the stages of crop control, regimentation of farmers and creation of unprecedented bureaucracy.

But the real shock seems yet to come. There is more money to be spent and a new program to be carried out. Mr. Wallace has now initiated an effort by which export bounties will be paid and this will enable the sale of cotton abroad—so Mr. Wallace believes. President Roosevelt believes so. He has endorsed the scheme.

Doomed to Failure Like Earlier Crackpot Ideas

Thus, we have come to a new phase in a long string of governmental failures—because this one is doomed to failure like the earlier crackpot ideas. Since 1933, when the administration embarked upon its price-raising campaign, cotton sales abroad have steadily dropped lower. When the efforts to hold the price up by means of a reduced acreage failed, brilliant minds in the administration turned to loans to the holders of cotton so that the price could be held above the world level. Thereafter, and almost at once, cotton goods of a cheaper kind and made by the worst types of serfdom labor, and cotton, itself, from lands where labor works for a piece of black bread crowded American cotton out of the world market.

When I say, as I did above, that the latest scheme for artificial maintenance of prices will fail, an explanation of the reasons therefor obviously is required. In some quarters around Washington, however, it is asserted that no explanation is necessary because the thing is ridiculous in the extreme. I do not believe the situation is as clear as that. It may seem to some that payment of subsidies to those owning cotton will permit those holders to sell at a lower level than their competitors from foreign lands. That is to say, the cotton could be sold at whatever price was required to get it marketed—with the United States government making up the difference by a direct payment to the seller. When this happens, however, other factors and forces begin to operate, and there is where the selling machinery stalls.

I believe no one can safely dispute the statement that the drop in our cotton exports—and other farm products, too—has resulted from the various price control policies that have been used. Whenever there is an attempt to control prices artificially, there is bound to be grief since that action represents an interference with the law of supply and demand. A horse will not drink and a buyer will not buy unless he wants the drink or the product.

What is the result? It is plain to see that prices are propped up by various sticks, most of them furnished out of the federal treasury. Now, there is no sign at all that either President Roosevelt or congress is willing to withdraw those sticks which hold the prices up. Since they are apparently to remain, then it is equally apparent that none of our cotton will be sold at prices competing with foreign cotton. Naturally, the foreign cotton gets into the markets and stays there just as long as our own silly policies are maintained.

Better to Sell at Lower Prices Than Not at All

While all of these things are bad enough, I think we ought not overlook the possibilities contained in any subsidy program—the extent to which it undoubtedly will go. As I said above, if there is an export bounty on cotton sales, does anyone think for a moment the wheat farmers will not ask for similar treatment? And if wheat gets that treatment, how about corn and hogs and tobacco and rice and potatoes and peanuts and dairy products?

When all of those are in, why not a subsidy out of the treasury to be paid to me and to others who work, and to one storekeeper who is competing with the fellow in the next block?

There is, however, another phase to be considered. Mr. Wallace and the President talk about payment of the bounties so that our producers will get a full price, even though the foreign buyers get the stuff dirt cheap. While this policy is being fostered, another agency of the government is promoting international treaties designed to do away with just such policies. I refer, of course, to the reciprocal trade treaties that are the special pet of Secretary Hull, of the department of state.

Hull has worked hard and faithfully in his campaign to eliminate the barriers to trade between nations. He has sought to get other nations to eliminate restrictions on quantities of imports from the United States; he has battled against special tariff charges and has used every argument available to recreate a free flow of commerce between the United States and as many nations as will enter into such trade agreements.

Hull Has Worked Hard to Recreate Flow of Commerce

It falls to make sense to me, therefore, to see Mr. Hull struggling along one road and Mr. Wallace, with the President's approval, carrying out in behalf of the United States the very policies which Mr. Hull finds objectionable on the part of other nations.

What must the reaction of the Argentines be, for example, when we say through Mr. Hull that we don't want any restrictions on our shipments to their country—and then say through Mr. Wallace that we are going to pay cash subsidies to our growers of wheat so that they can undersell the Argentines in the world market at Liverpool, England. Of course, wheat has not been included in the initial proposal for subsidies, but will all of those please stand up who believe a subsidy can be limited to one kind of farm crop? I would feel, if I were a citizen of Argentina, that even the kindly words of President Roosevelt about being good neighbors were liberally sprinkled with hokum.

Above and beyond the contradictory character of these policies as I have attempted to point them out, there is still another national policy which mixes with the Wallace subsidy idea as oil mixes with water. Through many, many years, one of our fundamental laws governing imports inflicts retaliation upon those who attempt to gain entrance into the American market by use of a government subsidy.

Tap Treasury for Subsidy To Pay Holders of Cotton

The tariff laws say that whenever shipments of any commodity from any foreign nation is sold or offered for sale in our market at prices below the selling prices in the home-land of production, our customs officers shall at once apply a countervailing duty. Now, the countervailing duty is nothing more or less than a retaliation and it is intended to offset the use of such subsidies as are paid by the government of the land from which the shipment came. We have used it many times; only lately it was used against Germany. The amount of the duty that was assessed was more than enough to make the price of the imported article higher than our American market quotations on like articles.

Here in the Wallace subsidy idea, however, it is proposed to take money out of the federal treasury to pay holders of cotton a subsidy that will enable sales abroad at low prices. The self-same treasury at the very same time must act through its customs officers to see that no other nation does the same thing to us.

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"When Clocks Stopped"

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Bryan Carlock of Bloomington, Ill., is one man who knows exactly when his adventure started. Other folks may be a little vague about the exact hour and minute of their life's biggest thrill.

When death is staring you in the face, you don't stop to look at your watches and say, "Ho, hum, if I don't get out of this mess pretty quick I'll be late for dinner." Neither did Bryan, for that matter. But he knows the time.

He knows it because, when the blow struck, all the clocks and watches stopped. It was the end of time. The end of the world! The end of everything! The day was March 10, 1933, and Bryan had arrived in Long Beach, Calif., just that morning, to visit his sister, who was married to an army officer, Lieut. Chester Linton.

She and Bryan had gone down town in the afternoon and returned home at 5 o'clock. The clocks and watches stopped at exactly 5:55!

In the meantime, they were busy getting dinner ready. Chester Linton had come home. Sis was in the kitchen making salad and biscuits. Potatoes were boiling on the stove and the roast was in the oven. The rest of the family was in the living room. Bryan was reading and the children—a girl and three boys—were playing on the floor.

Sis came in and said, "Are you all hungry? Dinner will be ready in a few minutes." And then—

The Building Began to Rock and Sway.

And then—terror! The words were hardly out of his sister's mouth when the building began to sway and rock. There was a roar that sounded like thousands of firecrackers exploding all at once. Tables and floor lamps fell over. Plaster crashed down from the ceiling, and the floor bulged upward and burst open.

Says Bryan: "I thought the world was coming to an end. The whole house was rocking like a boat. I couldn't get my voice for a moment,



When we couldn't run any more, we walked.

and when I did, I cried out, 'What is it?' Then I heard Chester say, 'Earthquake! Get out!' As he said it, the wall beside him crumbled and fell into the street."

The apartment was on the second floor of a brick building at the corner of Broadway and Linden. They started for the stairway, and Bryan says when he reached it it was moving like an escalator. Sis and the kids were safely at the bottom. The lieutenant was behind him. Bryan was half way down that tottering stairway when his foot went through a broken step and caught there.

He struggled to extricate himself, but the harder he tried, the tighter he seemed to be wedging himself in. Now, the lieutenant was at his side, trying to get him out. Plaster was still falling from the walls and ceiling. At last the lieutenant got him loose, and they ran out into the street.

Across the Street a Neighbor Was Killed.

On the other side of the street, a neighbor was lying dead on the lawn—a great chunk of cornice beside him. He had run out of his home at the first shock of the quake, just as the cornice fell, and it killed him. The first shock was in confusion. Some men were carrying a woman into the bungalow next door, her leg torn and bleeding.

And then, another terrible cry was passed from mouth to mouth through the stricken area. "Tidal wave coming!" "We were only three blocks from the ocean," says Bryan, "and we took the kids and began running inland. We had had nothing to eat. The roast and potatoes and other food back home had been blown against the north wall of the kitchen.

When we couldn't run any more, we walked. We went on that way for two or three hours, through streets filled with debris and ruin and desolation. Before long, the city was under martial law. About eight or nine o'clock we struck a place that hadn't suffered quite as badly as other sections of the town. They were serving soup, sandwiches, coffee, etc., so we stopped and had something to eat."

They were all exhausted by this time. There was still no sign of a tidal wave and, tidal wave or no tidal wave, Bryan wasn't going to go a step farther. They held a council of war and decided to return to the neighborhood of home.

They wandered back toward the ocean and, within a block of the Lintons' wrecked house they found an apartment building which was still in pretty good shape, and managed to get shelter for the night.

Bryan Noticed His Foot Was Damp.

For the first time, then, Bryan noticed that his right foot was damp. He pulled up his trouser leg and found the foot covered with blood. There was a nail in the calf of his leg. Evidently it had been thrust there when he got caught in the broken stairway.

"There was a doctor in the house," he says, "and he dressed the wound. I was walking like a drunken man, and the doctor told me I was 'earth shocked.'"

The tremors continued all through the night. They stayed in the apartment house, but in the morning they had to move on, for the city's mains had been broken and there was no gas or water. They went to City Hall park, where relief work was getting under way, and there they were put into a truck and sent to Lennox, about 12 miles from Los Angeles where a woman's club had been turned into a dormitory.

"They gave us medical attention there," says Bryan, "and a lot of us needed it. A lot of the women were hysterical. One of the nurses there had been in hospitals in France during the war and had been bombed by the Germans, but she said it didn't affect her nearly as badly as the quake did."

"Our little group got off easily. My sister and her little girl had been hit by plaster and the three boys had their legs skinned. The lieutenant had had the presence of mind to hold a chair over his head, and he escaped without a scratch. But the thing that saved us all from death was our delay in getting out of the house. If we had gone out while the debris was still falling we would have met the same fate as our neighbor across the street."

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College Graduates and Divorce

The divorce rate among college graduates is low, compared with the rate of the country as a whole. In a study made by the office of education of 46,000 alumni over the period from 1928 to 1935, there were 19 divorces per 1,000 marriages. More college women than college men are divorced.

Head-Hunting Persists

Head hunting is still being practiced. The best-known case of this in present-day times is represented by the Jivaro of South America. There is also good evidence that in spite of governmental pressure, isolated cases of taking heads still occur in remote parts of the Philippine islands and in Borneo.

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SYNOPSIS

Young, pretty Jane Barnes, who lived with her brother, Baldwin, in Sherwood Park, near Washington, was not particularly impressed when she read that rich, attractive Edith Towne had been left at the altar by Delafeld Simms, wealthy New Yorker. However, she still mused over it when Mel Evans Follette, a young neighbor, told her the war had left completely dejected and despondent. Evans had always loved Jane. That morning Baldwin Barnes, on his way to work in Washington, offered assistance to a tall, lovely girl in distress.

CHAPTER II—Continued

When at last Baldy drew up at the little way station, and unfastened the curtain, he was aware that she had opened the suede bag and had a roll of bills in her hand. For a moment his heart failed him. Was she going to offer him money?

But what she said, with cheeks flaming, was: "I haven't anything less than ten dollars. Do you think they will take it?"

"It's doubtful. I have oodles of change." He held out a handful.

"Thank you so much, and—would you mind if I have your card?"

"Oh, please—"

Her voice had an edge of sharpness. "Of course it must be a loan."

He handed her his card in silence. She read the name. "Mr. Barnes, you have been very kind. I am tremendously grateful."

"It was not kindness—but now and then a princess passes."

For a breathless moment her amazed glance met his—then the clang of a bell heralded an approaching car.

As he helped her out hurriedly she stumbled over the rug. He caught her up, lifted her to the ground, and motioned to the motor-man.

The car stopped and she mounted the steps. "Good-by, and thank you so much." He stood back and she waved to him while he watched her out of sight.

His work at the office that morning had dreams for an accompaniment. He went out at lunch-time but ate nothing. It was at lunch-time that he bought the violets—paying an unthinkable price for them, and not caring.

It was after office that Baldy carried the flowers to his car. He set the box on the back seat. In the hurry of the morning he had forgotten the girl who still lay where his fair passenger had stumbled over it. He picked it up and something dropped from its folds. It was the gray suede bag, half open, and showing the roll of bills. Beneath the roll of bills was a small sheer handkerchief, a vanity case with a pinch of powder and a wee puff, a new check-book—and, negligently at the very bottom, a ring—a ring of such enchantment that as it lay in Baldy's hand, he doubted its reality. The hoop was of platinum, slender, yet strong enough to bear up a carved moonstone in a circle of diamonds. The carving showed a delicate Psyche—with a butterfly on her shoulder. The diamonds blazed like small suns.

Inside the ring was an inscription—"Del to Edith—Forever."

Del to Edith? Where had he seen those names? With a sudden flash of illumination, he dropped the ring back into the bag, stuffed the bag in his pocket, and made his way to a newsboy at the corner.

There it was in startling headlines: Edith Towne Disappears. Delafeld Simms' Yacht Said to Have Been Sighted Near Norfolk!

So his passenger had been the much-talked-about Edith Towne—deserted at the moment of her marriage!

He thought of her eyes of burning blue—the fairness of her skin and hair—the touch of haughtiness. Simms was a cur, of course! He should have knelt at her feet!

The thing to do was to get the bag back to her. He must advertise at once. On the wings of this decision, his car whirled down the Avenue. The lines which, after much deliberation, he pushed across the counter of the newspaper office, would be ambiguous to others, but clear to her. "Will passenger who left bag with valuable contents in car call up Sherwood Park 46."

"Is she really as beautiful as that?" Jane demanded.

"As what?"

"Her picture in the paper."

"I've seen it. Good enough for you to know it?"

Jane nodded. "Yes. But it doesn't stand real life. Are you sure you didn't dream?"

"I'll say I didn't. Isn't that the proof?" The gray bag lay on the table in front of them, the ring was on Jane's finger.

She turned it to catch the light. "Baldy," she said, "it's beyond imagination."

"I told you—"

"Think of having a ring like this—"

"Think," fiercely, "of having a lover who ran away."

"Well," said Jane, "there are

some advantages in being—unsought. I'm like the Miller-ess of Dee—

"I care for nobody— No, not I, Since nobody Cares— For me—!"

She sang it with a light boyish swing of her body. Her voice was girlish and sweet, with a touch of huskiness.

Baldy flung his scorn at her. "Jane, aren't you ever in earnest?"

"Intermittently," she smiled at him, came over and tucked her arm in his. "Baldy," she coaxed, "aren't you going to tell her uncle?"

He stared at her. "Her uncle? Tell him what?"

"That you've found the bag."

He hung off her arm. "Would you have me turn traitor?"

"Heavens, Baldy, this isn't melodrama. It's common sense. You can't keep that bag."

"I can keep it until she answers my advertisement."

"She may never see your advertisement, and the money isn't yours, and the ring isn't."

He was troubled. "But she trusted me. I can't do it."

Jane shrugged her shoulders, and began to clear away the dinner things.



Towne's tone showed a touch of irritation.

ner things. Baldy helped her. Old Merrymaid mewed to go out, and Jane opened the door.

"It's snowing hard," she said.

The wind drove the flakes across the threshold. Old Merrymaid danced back into the house, bright-eyed and round as a muff. The air was freezing.

"It is going to be a dreadful night," young Baldwin, heavy with gloom, prophesied. He thought of Edith in the storm in her buckled shoes. Had she found shelter? Was she frightened and alone somewhere in the dark?

He went into the living-room, whence Jane presently followed him. Jane was knitting a sweater and she worked while Baldy read to her. He read the full account of Edith Towne's flight. She had gone away early in the morning. The maid, taking her breakfast up to her, had found the room empty. She had left a note for her uncle. But he had not permitted its publication. He was, they said, wild with anxiety.

"I'll bet he's an old tyrant," was Baldy's comment.

Frederick Towne's picture was in the paper. "I like his face," said Jane, "and he doesn't seem so frightfully old."

"Why should she run away from him, if he wasn't a tyrant?" he demanded furiously.

"Well, don't scold me." Jane was as vivid as an oriole in the midst of her orange wools.

She loved color. The living-room was an expression of it. Its furniture was old-fashioned but not old-fashioned enough to be lovely. Jane had, however, modified its lack of grace and its dull monotonies by covers of chintz—tropical birds against black and white stripes—and there was a lamp of dull blue pottery with a Chinese shade. A fire in the coal grate, with the glow of the lamp, gave the room a look of burnished brightness. The kitten, curled up in Jane's lap, played cozily with the tawny threads.

"Don't scold me," said Jane, "it isn't my fault."

"I'm not scolding, but I'm worried to death. And you aren't any help, are you?"

She looked at him in astonishment. "I've tried to help. I told you to call up."

Young Baldwin walked the floor. "She trusted me."

"You won't get anywhere with that," said Jane with decision. "The thing to do is to tell Mr. Towne

that you have news of her, and that you'll give it only under promise that he won't do anything until he has talked it over with you."

"That sounds better," said young Baldwin; "how did you happen to think of it?"

"Now and then," said Jane, "I have ideas."

Baldy went to the telephone. When he came back his eyes were like gray moons. "He promised everything, and he's coming out—"

"Here?"

"Yes, he wouldn't wait until tomorrow. He's wild about her—"

"Well, he would be," Jane mentally surveyed the situation.

"Baldy, I'm going to make some coffee, and have some cheese and crackers."

"He may not want them."

"On a cold night like this, I'll say he will; anybody would."

Baldy helped Jane get out the round-bellied silver pot, the pitchers and tray. The young people had a sense of complacency as they handled the old silver. Frederick Towne could have nothing of more distinguished history. It had belonged to their great-grandmother, Dabney, who was really D'Aubigne, and it had graced an emperor's table.

Each piece had a monogram set in an engraved wreath. The big tray was so heavy that Jane lifted it with difficulty, so Baldy set it for her on the little mahogany table which they drew up in front of the fire. There was no wealth now in the Barnes family, but the old silver spoke of a time when a young hostess as black-haired as Jane had dispensed lavish hospitality.

Frederick Towne had not expected what he found—the little house set high on its terraces seemed to give from its golden-lighted window squares a welcome in the dark. "I shan't be long, Briggs," he said to his chauffeur.

"Very good, sir," said Briggs, and led the way up the terrace.

Baldy ushered Towne into the living-room, and Frederick, standing on the threshold, surveyed a coziness which reminded him of nothing so much as a color illustration in some old English magazine. There was the coal grate, the table drawn up to the fire, the twinkling silver on its massive tray, violets in a low vase—and rising to meet him a slender, glowing child, with a banner of orange wool behind her.

"Jane," said young Barnes, "may I present Mr. Towne?" and Jane held out her hand and said, "This is very good of you."

He found himself unexpectedly gracious. He was not always gracious. He had felt that he couldn't be. A man with money and position had to shut himself up sometimes in a shell of reserve, lest he be imposed upon.

But in this warmth and fragrance he expanded. "What a charming room," he said, and smiled at her.

Jane felt perfectly at ease with him. He was, after all, she reflected, only a gentleman, and Baldy was that. The only difference lay in their divergent incomes. So, as the two men talked, she knitted on, with the outward effect of placidity.

"Do you want me to go?" she had asked them, and Towne had replied promptly, "Certainly not. There's nothing we have to say that you can't hear."

So Jane listened with all her ears, and modified the opinion she had formed of Frederick Towne from his picture and from her first glimpse of him. He was nice to talk to, but he might be hard to live with. He had obstinacy and egotism.

"Why Edith should have done it amazes me."

"She was hurt," she said, "and she wanted to hide."

"But people seem to think that in some way it is my fault. I don't like that. It isn't fair. We've al-

ways been the best of friends—more like brother and sister than niece and uncle."

"But not like Baldy and me," said Jane to herself, "not in the least like Baldy and me."

"Of course Simms ought to be shot," Towne told them heatedly.

"He ought to be hanged," was Baldy's amendment.

Jane's needles clicked, but she said nothing. She was dying to tell these bloodthirsty males what she thought of them. What good would it do to shoot Delafeld Simms? A woman's hurt pride isn't to be healed by the thought of a man's dead body.

Young Baldwin brought out the bag. "It is one that Delafeld gave her," Frederick stated, "and I cashed a check for her at the bank the day before the wedding. I can't imagine why she took the ring with her."

"She probably forgot to take it off; her mind wasn't on rings," Jane's voice was warm with feeling.

He looked at her with some curiosity. "What was it on?"

"Oh, her heart was broken. Nothing else mattered. Can't you see?"

Jane swept them back to the matter of the bag. "We thought you ought to have it, Mr. Towne, but Baldy had scruples about revealing anything he knows about Miss Towne's hiding place. He feels that she trusted him."

"You said you had advertised, Mr. Barnes?"

"Yes."

"Well, the one thing is to get her home. Tell her that if she calls you up," Frederick looked suddenly tired and old.

Baldy, leaning against the mantel, gazed down at him. "It's hard to decide what I ought to do. But I feel that I'm right in giving her a chance first to answer the advertisement."

Towne's tone showed a touch of irritation. "Of course you'll have to act as you think best."

And now Jane took things in her own hands. "Mr. Towne, I'm going to make you a cup of coffee."

"I shall be very grateful," he smiled at her. What a charming child she was! He was soothed and refreshed by the atmosphere they created. This boy and girl were a friendly pair and he loved his ease. His own house, since Edith's departure, had been funereal, and his friends had been divided in their championship between himself and Edith. But the young Barneses were so pleasantly responsive with their lighted-up eyes and their little air of making him one with them. Edith had always seemed to put him quite definitely on the shelf. With little Jane and her brother he had a feeling of equality of age.

"Look here," he spoke impulsively, "may I tell you all about it? It would relieve my mind immensely."

To Jane it was a thrilling moment. Having poured the coffee, she came out from behind her battlement of silver and sat in her chintz chair. She did not knit; she was enchanted by the tale that Towne was telling. She sat very still, her hands folded, the tropical birds about her. To Frederick she seemed like a bird herself—slim and lovely, and with a voice that sang!

Towne was not an impressionable man. His years of bachelorhood had hardened him to feminine arts. But here was no artfulness. Jane assumed nothing. She was herself. As he talked to her, he became aware of some stirred emotion. An almost youthful eagerness to shine as the hero of his tale. If he embroidered the theme, it was for her benefit. What he told her was as he saw it. But what he told her was not the truth, nor even half of it.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

ASK ME ANOTHER ?

A Quiz With Answers Offering Information on Various Subjects

The Questions

1. What was the Holy Grail?
2. What is meant by fiscal year?
3. Does the term dirigible refer only to aircraft?
4. Do landing or starting planes have the right of way at an airport?
5. Are the stars motionless in space?
6. Why can a fly walk on a ceiling without falling?
7. What is the difference between a chuckle, a giggle and a laugh?
8. Why don't ducks get wet?
9. A bale of cotton weighs how many pounds?
10. What is the difference between a buffalo and a bison?

The Answers

1. The platter or cup which, according to legend, was used by Christ at the Last Supper.
2. A year which starts at a designated date for financial figuring.
3. No. Dirigible means capable of being directed, as an automobile or bicycle.
4. Descending planes have the right-of-way.

5. No. If there is anything in the universe that is actually motionless astronomers have not yet discovered it.
6. It has suction cups on its legs.
7. A chuckle is a small noise, giggling comes in short spasms, and a laugh is everything.
8. Because of oil in their feathers.
9. A bale of cotton weighs 480 pounds.
10. Buffalo is the general term given to many species of wild oxen, including the bison. The American buffalo may properly be called a bison.

Head Hunters of New Guinea Are Particular About Child Training

HEADHUNTERS of New Guinea, going without clothing, yet very particular about training their children in habits of cleanliness and modesty, were the subject of study by Dr. John Whiting and S. W. Reed, graduate students of Yale university, who lived for seven months among a small primitive tribe of less than 400 persons in a mountain range far up the Sepik river.

Spankings and rewards are the basis of child discipline among these primitives, the Yale investigators discovered, but early in life the child learns to recognize a word of praise or a scolding as an effective substitute for physical punishment or caress.

Food taboos and cleanliness are taught early in childhood and these "morals" are almost never neglected in after life, they found. Sexual and aggressive activities are controlled primarily at adolescence and later, and the restrictions in these matters are never so binding—they are quite often violated.

The tribe still hunt human heads and Doctor Whiting participated in a spear dance which the natives performed before setting out on a

And the Mistress Grew Red With Indignation

The housemaid was under notice to leave, and her mistress summoned her to tell her a few truths.

"So I'm a flirt, am I?" demanded the maid, after a few preliminaries. "Well, I know them as flirts more than I do. And another thing, I'm better-looking than you. Your husband told me."

"That's enough!" snapped her mistress.

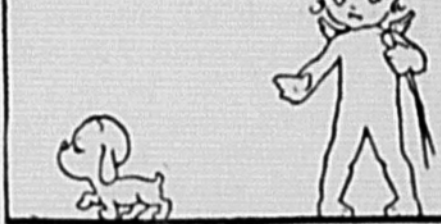
"Oh, no, it ain't," the girl went on. "I can kiss better than you can, too. Do you know who told me that?"

"Don't you dare to suggest that my husband—"

"Oh, no," interrupted the maid, "it was the butler."

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Lions Walk Tightrope, Seals Ride Horseback

Lions that walk tightropes and seals that ride horseback are two of the latest attractions produced by crack animal trainers. In the circus world new bags of tricks are necessary every year or so, and now that motion pictures are demanding wild animals to do tasks that seem almost miraculous, trainers are educating their animals to perform stunts of which no one dreamed before.

Teaching a lion to walk two swaying tightropes high in the air seems like a nearly impossible task until an experienced trainer tells how he does it, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. Charles Gay, who has a tightrope-walking lion at his lion farm at El Monte, Calif., starts to teach his cubs tricks when they are nine months old, after their trainers have gained their trust through frequent petting and feeding.

"Teaching a lion to walk the tightrope takes about six months of steady training," says Gay. "We start with a wide plank 10 feet long on supports a few feet off the ground. We tempt the animal to walk this plank by leading it with a piece of meat. After it has

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learned it will be rewarded for walking, we remove a central support, allowing the plank to bounce and sway under the animal's weight.

"Next we substitute two narrow planks for the wide one, gradually training the lion to walk the narrower planks until he finds himself walking a couple of pieces of two-by-four planks. The next step is to substitute one and one-quarter-inch iron pipes, then thick steel cables which the lion can grasp with his non-skid pads, and finally the smaller cables on which he performs his act.

"During all this time we gradually lengthen and heighten the supports so the animal finally learns to walk ropes 20 or 30 feet long that may be 20 feet in the air. During the first part of the training the lion may take an occasional spill, so we use a pile of wood shavings under the planks as a safety mat."

"See" With Ears in Dark According to a physiologist, if you're smart you can see in the dark with your ears. Blind people take greater advantage of the latent possibilities of the human ear than do persons with unimpaired sight.



The Farrer Twins, stars of radio and stage, are one of the featured vaudeville acts with Harley Sadler's tent theatre which comes to Slaton for a two night engagement, July 2nd and 3rd. The Sadler organization is practically all new this season, with all new vaudeville and Harley and Billie Sadler are well supported by an able cast. The play for the first night in Slaton Monday July 3rd, is "He Couldn't Take It," and on the sec-

SANTA FE NEWS.
The Santa Fe Railway System's net operating income for May was \$106,055, according to a statement released by President Edward J. King today. This is a decrease of \$1,263,271 compared with May, 1938. Gross for the System was \$12,089,005, an increase over May, 1938, of \$580,701 or 5.0 per cent. Operating expenses were \$10,324,084, an increase of \$2,039,420 or 21.1 per cent. over the same month of 1938. Railway tax accruals were \$1,065,533, a decrease of \$120,712 or 10.2 per cent.

FAMILY PICNIC STAGED AT POPULAR RESORT
Sunday afternoon a picnic was enjoyed at Buffalo Lakes by Messrs. and Mesdames: Andy Caldwell, daughters, Lola, Annabelle, Dora and Lucille; Geady Wilson and daughter, Alice Lavinia; Clifford Young and daughter, Betty, and Willyn, Edward Caldwell, Gordon Burrell and daughter Jeanette, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Plaster and Mr. Johnnie Plaster of Gibsland, La. and Melvin Burrell.

JIMMIE JEAN GUINN ENJOYS CAMP LIFE
Hunt, Texas—Summer camp activities for Jimmie Jean Guinn at Camp Waldemar, near Kerrville, have included a variety of things this week. Jimmie Jean belongs to the Tofas tribe. Jimmie Jean represented her tribe in swimming (outboard on field day).

HOSPITAL REPORT
Medical patients for the past week at Mercy Hospital include Mrs. J. D. Bourn, Mrs. C. C. Cramer, Mrs. J. E. Melde of Wilson, and Miss Pansy Tucker, who entered for X-Rays after a fall in a narrow canyon fractured her right leg above the knee. Mrs. Henry Wheatley, Miss Doris Chen of Southland and Master Stanley Wheeler underwent major surgery.

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MISSOURI MAN VISITING HERE
Clyde Roberts, who has been recently in the employ of the Engineering department of Globe Oil Tools at Los Angeles, California, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. P. P. Murray of South Eleventh Street. Roberts is a resident of Versailles, Missouri, and a graduate of the University of Missouri.

MRS. W. D. HARDY HONORED WITH SHOWER FRIDAY
A miscellaneous shower for Mrs. W. D. Hardy was given in the home of Mrs. Ralph Baker, 505 W. Crosby, Friday June 23 from 3:30 to 5 o'clock. Co-hostesses were Mesdames George Talbert, Bill Layne, Jack Shepard and Russell Satterlee. A multitude of beautiful garden flowers gave bright accents to the newly decorated home. In a unique way little Ray Doyle Satterlee and Betty Sue Layne presented the gifts to the honoree. Dainty refreshments were served to a number of neighbors, friends and ladies of the Methodist Nursery Department, of which Mrs. Hardy is a member.

TRIO ENTERTAIN WITH BRIDGE FOR STUDY CLUB
Misses Docia Tucker, Cordelia Grantham and Mrs. Raymond Lee Johns were joint hostesses to the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club Monday evening June 26 at the home of Miss Tucker. A short business session was led by the president, Docia Tucker, then bridge was played. Foursome tables were used to serve the colorful salad plates while old fashioned nosegays of larkspur formed centerpiece and were favors. Guests were Misses Betty Pack, Maxine Odom and Mrs. A. A. Sparkman.

MRS. C. F. ANDERSON HOSTESS WITH LAWN PARTY
The last meeting of the season for the Slaton Art Club was held on the lawn of the C. F. Anderson home Tuesday evening June 27 from 6 until 8 o'clock with Mrs. Anderson hostess. Ferns, potted plants and vases of summer flowers decorated the lawn and porch. Mrs. J. R. McAtee, president, presided at the business meeting and election of new officers as follows:

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FISH STORIES:



Earl Haire has been down on the Clear Fork of the Trinity fishing. He thought the twenty-four pounder he caught made the foray a success. Dr. and Mrs. C. H. McIlroy have been fishing at San Angelo during a week's vacation. There were plenty of fish there and a fair number permitted themselves to be fried.

DR. AND MRS. WRIGHT RETURN TO LUBBOCK OFFICE
Dr. H. C. Wright, who, with his wife was here June 26-8 in his air-conditioned trailer home, has returned to his office in the Hotel Lubbock. He is sole owner of the Health Shoe Store and Chiropractic Office in that building, where anyone may see him who missed taking advantage of his services here.

CLUB news

The Sunshine Sewing Club met with Mrs. James Wolf Thursday afternoon, June 22. Simple refreshments were served to the 13 members present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Plaster and Mr. Johnnie Plaster of Gibsland, La. have returned to their home after visiting a week with Mrs. Plaster's sister, Mrs. Andy Caldwell and family. While here they visited Carlsbad Caverns accompanied by Misses Lula and Annabelle Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Anderson and daughter, Claudia, went to Las Vegas last week, returning early this week. They visited their son and brother, Rowland Anderson, who is a pharmacist there.

Ancient Engine Puffs Once More On Road

America's most illustrious locomotive, the "J. W. Bowker," ran under its own power for the first time in years when Cecil B. De Mille succeeded in borrowing it for his new epic of the early railroads, "Union Pacific," opening at the Palace Theatre Sunday. Brought to the Paramount lot for the occasion, it attracted almost as much attention as the stars of the production, Barbara Stanwyck and Joel McCrea.

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Mrs. John Linn of Denton was an overnight guest Sunday at the home of her brother, W. S. Stephenson, poultryman at Driver's hatchery.

Mr. S. G. Wilson and daughter Janet went to Austin this week to make arrangements for Janet to attend the University of Texas next fall.

Mrs. Maynard Reynolds with her little granddaughter has been a visitor in the home of her brother, Charles Austin and cousin, J. W. Baker. Mrs. Rogers left Monday for her home near Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Guinn and family have recently returned from a trip to Missouri, including seven states in their itinerary.

AMERICANISM

Vernon Remmy and Miss Edith Ketchum, both of El Paso, are guests in the J. B. Stevens home. Mr. Remmy is a brother of Mrs. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kimbro of Austin spent the weekend in the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robertson. Mrs. Kimbro remained for a visit of about 10 days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. DeBusk, sr. and two daughters have returned from a weekend trip to Sweetwater where they visited Mrs. DeBusk's parents.

A CORRECTION
The Essay carried in these columns last week as the winning essay of the American Legion Contest and as the work of June Scott was not the winning essay, nor that of Miss Scott. It was, however, one of the high ranking essays of the contest and was set up and printed through error.

We feel it was no error to print so worthy a paper, but it was an error to ascribe it to Miss Scott and it may have caused misunderstanding if read by the real author. Excuse it, please.—THE EDITOR

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